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The Searcher.
When the motorist's speed is a hot one
The judge "roasts" him well for his
game.
Quite naturally then he is "boiling"
And thinks it a "burning shame."
—Brooklyn Eagle.

Diplomatic
"Fathers have been much maligned."
"In what way?"
"About giving suitors the boot. On
three occasions I have been referred
by a young woman to her father, and
every time I found it was for the pur-
pose of letting me down easy."—Louis-
ville Courier-Journal.

Change of Sentiment.
The baseball player whom we cheer
As our own warrior friend each year
Unto another club may go
And next become our hated foe.
—Washington Star.

Aviation.

High speed has been developed by
a monoplane the German inventor of
which shaped its wings like those of
a pigeon.

More than \$50,000 worth of aero-
planes were imported into and export-
ed from the United States in the
months of July, August and Septem-
ber last.

A patent has been granted in Eng-
land to a man who claims he has in-
vented an airship that will be invis-
ible to the eye in the air, his idea be-
ing to coat it with a metal that will
reflect the atmosphere surrounding it.

Facts From France.

Parisian cabmen are by regulation
forbidden to smoke when driving.

In Paris white horses are employed
for the funerals of children or young
unmarried people.

A new league has been founded in
France, entitled "The League Against
the Lending of Books."

The wealth of France, calculated on
the basis of the private fortunes of her
citizens, is stated to have been in 1908
\$57,500,000,000, which represents an
increase of \$8,800,000,000 in the pre-
ceding sixteen years.

Industrial Items.

According to the latest figures, Uncle
Sam's farm hand payroll represents
\$645,612,000.

India has enacted a law limiting
adults' working hours to twelve a day
and children's to six.

Of 9,221,517,000 common brick made
in the country in 1910 the south made
2,367,324,000, or something more than
25 per cent, and the value of the
southern production was something
more than 26 per cent of the total
value, \$55,219,551, in the country.

Horses in Spain.

It has been found in Andalusia that
on hard trips the only saddle horses
surviving extreme hardships and lack
of food are the Spanish. The imported
horses all succumb.

Largest Sassafras Tree.

Atlanta, Ga., claims the biggest sas-
sassafras tree in the world. The tree
stands in the yard of the First Meth-
odist church and is said to be more
than 100 years old. It is seven and
one-half feet in circumference, fifty
feet tall and has a spread of more
than forty feet.

CITIZENS' ASSOCIATION TAKES FESLER TO TASK.

His Method of Labeling Candidates
For Office Called Unfair.

The Citizens' Association For Civic
Interest in Cleveland, O., recently sent
the following protest to Secretary Mayo
Fesler of the City Municipal associa-
tion, in which exception is taken to the
secretary's method of giving the race
or color of candidates for public office:

Dear Sir—The undersigned, members of
the committee appointed by the Citizens'
Association For Civic Interest, in compli-
ance with your request are sending "in
writing" the protest made recently to you
in person. The association, composed of
leading Afro-Americans of this city, pro-
tests against your "labeling" as "Ne-
groes" and "Colored" Afro-American can-
didates for public office in this city and
county.

First, because this harmful discrimina-
tion is done in their case only; secondly,
because there is no good reason why any
class of citizens should be so "labeled" or
designated in your reports. It would be
equally unfair and insulting to so "label"
or designate Jewish, Irish, German or
candidates of other nationalities or classes,
and yet if this sort of thing is followed in
the case of the Afro-American all other
candidates of the different nationalities or
classes should be similarly treated in your
reports.

It is the merest nonsense to argue in de-
fense of such insulting discrimination that
the nationality or class of other candi-
dates is indicated by their names. There
are many Jewish, Irish, German and oth-
er class candidates constantly before the
public whose names do not indicate their
nationality or class connection.

Therefore the Citizens' Association For
Civic Interest protests against such man-
ifestly unfair treatment of local Afro-
American candidates and respectfully re-
quests its discontinuance.

J. K. NICKENS, M. D., Chairman.
REV. H. M. LOWERY.
CHARLES S. BUTTON, Secretary.

Lynchers Are No Respectors of Person.

The sentiment of the American peo-
ple knows no bounds. They choose any
time or place to perform any cere-
monies which may appeal to their fads or
fancies, says the Minneapolis (Minn.)
Twin City Star. The lynching of Ne-
groes by white men is prevalent, yet
the lynching of white men by white
men has proved that this lawlessness
is not born of prejudice alone, but out
of a custom practiced by these public
executioners, who disregard the writ-
ten laws of the land and bold justice
as a mockery.

"Did Algy make a hit at the literary
club?"
"I guess he did. He pronounced
'Les Miserables' in a brand new way
and then alluded to it as Victor Her-
bert's masterpiece."—Kansas City
Journal.

The Universal Franchise.

A small number of men sympa-
thizers took part in the suffragist pa-
rade in New York city, among them
several members of the faculty of the
Teachers' college. One of these pro-
fessors had the honor of leading the
male contingent and of carrying a
banner.

"Did you notice," he asked a friend
afterward, "what the inscription was
on that banner they gave me to car-
ry?"

"No," replied his friend. "You car-
ried it as if you were afraid some one
would decipher it."

"It read," chuckled the professor,
"The men vote—why not we?"—
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cigars and news stand, 18 W. 31st
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R. M. Harvey's barber shop and
news stand, 3924 State street.

Mrs. Nellie Phelps, cigars, notions
and news stand, 15 W. 36th St., near
Dearborn.

W. S. Cole, cigars, tobacco and
news stand, 34 W. 31st St., near
Dearborn.

T. B. Hall, laundry office and news
stand, 11 W. 29th St., near State.

Mrs. Jas. H. Lewis, notions, cigars
and newsstand, 15 W. 36th St., near
State.

B. Davis, cigars, tobacco and news
stand, 3532 State St.

W. M. Maxwell, notions, cigars,
tobacco, confections and news stand,
5244 State St.

Edward Felix, notions, cigars and
news stand, 52 W. 30th St.

F. Bishop, cigars, tobacco and news
stand, 8 W. 27th St., near State.

Turner Williams' barber shop and
news stand, 3252 State St.

Sylvester McGlofin, news stand
and laundry office, 4122 State St.

William Gaughan, laundry office,
cigars, tobacco and news stand, 2636
State St.

Mrs. Adella M. White, cigars, to-
bacco, candies and news stand 2820
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3 10c pkgs. Best Seeded Raisins.....25c
1 lb. Premium Baking Chocolate.....25c
3 10c pkgs. New Eagle Brand Minicent, 25c
1 pkg. Baker's Shredded Coconut.....15c
3 5c pkgs. Crisco Crackers.....10c
1 lb. Canned Citron, Lemon or Orange
Peel.....15c
15c can Miller's Poultry Seasoning.....10c
1 lb. can Best Plum Pudding.....10c
2 1/2 lb. can Best New Orleans Mac-
aroni.....19c
3 10c can Pie Pumpkin.....25c
2 10c can Yankee Baby Solid Pack In-
diana Tomatoes, 25c; dozen.....\$1.25
30c can California Peaches or Apricots,
in extra heavy sirup.....21c
3 10c can Country Gentlemen Sugar
Corn, 25c; dozen.....\$1.50
50c Heart Brand Sifted Early June Peas,
can, 15c; dozen.....\$1.45
30c can First Choice Button Mush-
rooms.....25c
3 12c can Kidney, Lima, Succotash or
Stringless Beans, 25c; dozen.....\$1.15
12c can Garden of Eatin' Beans, 15c;
dozen.....\$1.65
30c can Hart Brand Fancy Michigan
Beets.....15c
3 10c tall cans Pearl Evaporated Milk,
with premium wrappers.....27c
Griffin & Kelly's Fancy California As-
paragus, 25c; dozen.....\$1.50
1/2 gallon can Lea Trott's Cured Pure
Virgin Olive Oil, \$1.45; pint.....95c
10 lbs. Johnson's Soap, or B. T.
Habit's Naphtha Soap.....95c
5 bars P. & G. Ivory Soap.....\$1.25
15c bot. Lippincott's Tomato Catsup.....10c
3 lb. clam jar Pure Apple Butter.....35c
25c Stamps with 1 pound Best Yankee
Ham, 25c; 40 with 3 1/2 lb. for.....\$1.50
60 Stamps with 1 lb. can 50c Macaroni
Tea.....65c
25c Stamps with 50c bot. Vanilla or
Lemon Extract.....50c
25c Stamps with 1 lb. can 50c Macaroni
Baking Powder.....50c

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100 g. A. & H. or Fish's Stamps free
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worth 30c, our price at 15c. 24c
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sweet and delicious. This sale, 1b.
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3 lb. 35c; 4 lb. 45c; 5 lb. 55c.
New York Sage Cheese, retailed at
30c lb., our price at 15c. 24c.
Genuine Swiss Country Cream Brieck
of Basel, 1 lb. 25c; 2 lb. 45c;
3 lb. 65c; 4 lb. 85c; 5 lb. 1.05c.
25c Stamps with 1 lb. can 50c Macaroni
or 50c Butter, each.....\$1.75

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Gallon Keg, \$8.90 including
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Another five carload shipment of this
famous wine has just arrived and will
be sold for the Holidays if ordered this
week at 89c gallon. This sale positively
will close next Saturday P. M., after
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its own price of \$2 again.
For many years we have handled ex-
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while maturing make it one of the
most desirable wines for all purposes,
and it has been said to us by a most
critical connoisseur that this wine com-
pares with the foreign product costing
up to \$4 a gallon. To prove this fact to
one and all we serve samples of this wine
to all interested persons during this sale.
Include a gallon or more on your grocery
order. Open Saturday until 8 P. M.
Double S. & H. and Fish's Stamps
Friday.

MEATS AND POULTRY

Stockyards Wholesale Cut Prices.
Hind Qrs. Veal, Kane Co. milk fed, 1b.
11c; leg or loin, 1b.....12c
50c Little Pig Hams, sugar cured, 6 to
8 lbs., this sale, 1b.....10c
The cheapest yet—No. 1 Beef Tender-
loins or Fillet of Beef, 1b.....15c
Horse's Neck, Bacon, sugar cured, nar-
row strips, 4 to 6 lbs., 1b.....10c
Short Legs of Mutton, Southdowns,
1b.....10c
Butcher's Bones, any size cut,
1b.....12c
Fresh Little Pig Hams for roasting,
1b.....10c
Country Sausage, 4-lb. jars
net, jar.....25c
Lois Lamb Chops or English Mutton
Chops, 1b.....15c
Hind Qrs. Veal, very choice,
1b.....11c
Baltimore Oysters, large cans, can-25c
Halibut Steak, fresh caught, 1b.....10c
Well Cured Free Dressed Turkeys,
Geese and Ducks, lowest prices in
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FRUITS AND VEGETABLES

Just arrived, 4 carloads of Holiday
Fruits.
Oranges, Sweet Sunburst, extra large,
dozen, medium, 25c; small, 15c.
Indiana River, Florida, Grape Fruit,
Jumbo, 6 for.....25c
Smyrna Layer Pigs, 1b.....12c
Tender, 1b.....10c
Cranberries, fancy, quart.....12c
Mixed Nuts, all fresh 1911's, 1b. 15c;
1 lb. 25c

WINES AND LIQUORS

HOLIDAY SPECIALS
Old Orchard Spring Rye, Straight Pure
Whisky, no blend, real \$1.45 value,
this sale, gal. \$2.50; 1/2 gal. \$1.25;
quart.....95c
Branzwick Cocktails, \$1.00 bottle, Man-
hattan or Martini.....50c
Good Old Crackersack Rye, 13 yr.
\$5.00 grade, old and mellow, gal.
\$2.40; 1/2 gal. \$1.20; quart.....95c
Lexington Club Bourbon, bottled 1898,
or old Bridgeport Rye, this special
sale, gal. \$2.50; 1/2 gal. \$1.25; full
quart.....95c
Special Victorian Whisky, 13 yr.
old, imported, soft, mellow wines,
worth \$1.50, this sale, qt. 50c; gal.
\$2.50; 1/2 gal. \$1.25; full quart.....95c
Green River Bourbon or Heavy Brook
Rye, 8 yr. old, bottled full qt.....95c
Buchanan's Black and White.....\$1.50
Lemon Brandy, Black and White, 25c;
quart.....95c
Cook's Gold Seal or Great Western
Champagne, qt. \$1.10; pint.....65c
Good Old Crackersack Rye, 13 yr.
aged bottled, imported, \$1.25 bot. \$1.20
Cal. Hunt Santitas, St. Julien Chateau,
Johannisberger Rhine, equal to most
imported, gal. \$1.25; 1/2 gal. 65c;
3 bottles.....\$1.00
Old Maryland Rye, equal to others,
\$1.50 grade, our price, gal. \$2.50;
1/2 gal. \$1.25; full quart.....95c
Santa Marquitos, 3 Star Cal. Brandy,
the ideal brandy for all purposes,
\$1.50 value, for this sale, gal. \$2.50;
1/2 gal. \$1.25; bottle, wired, 65c.
J. Seavison & Co. 3 Star French Brandy,
wired and sealed, \$1.25 bottle.....95c
25c bottle Appleton's Scotch or Black-
Berry Cordial
E. & F. Hoffman Gin, Oakland Dry, or
Old Tom, sale.....50c
25c Stamps with \$2.00 bottle, Party
Club
40 Stamps with 50c bot. Atlanta Port.....50c

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The pot used to call the kettle black,
but what will the fireless cooker say
to the paper bag?—Toledo Blade.

The hobbie skirt is now condemned
as unhealthy. That gives the fashion a
new lease of life.—New York Tribune.

The completion of the Panama canal
a year ahead of the specified time will
strike the average contractor as almost
a violation of professional ethics.—
Washington Star.

Recent Inventions.

An attachment has been invented to
make an alarm clock turn on and
light a gas jet at a predetermined time.

A spade with one edge sharpened
and turned up at a right angle has
been invented by a Wisconsin man
for trowling walks and gutters.

A New York inventor has combined
the desk telephone and electric light
in one stand in such a manner that
the light shade collects the sound of
the voice and concentrates it within
the transmitter.

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Splendid Collection of Paintings and
Drawings Shown in Brooklyn.

The first exhibition of original paint-
ings and drawings by colored art stu-
dents of Greater New York was re-
cently held at the Carlton avenue
branch of the Young Men's Christian
association in Brooklyn. There were
fifty-eight different subjects in the col-
lection, showing the works of Miss Mar-
ion Buckley, J. Clinton De Villis, Br-
nest Braxton, Robert Lewis, S. R.
Franklin, Charles Dawson, Miss Elsie
Powell and Percival C. Thomas.

In the collection presented by Mr. De
Villis were many scenes along the
coast of Long Island, mountain scenes
in New York state and the old stone
bridge at Hartford, Conn. The land-
scape scene by Miss Marion Buckley
was particularly good. In the list sub-
mitted by Mr. Ernest Braxton were "A
Modern Philosopher," "D'Artagnan"
(water color), "The Tambourine Girl,"
"A Critical Inspection," "Homeward
Bound" and "The Picture Book."

Besides two excellent portraits, Robert
Lewis showed "A Byway at Bergen
Beach," "In the Park," "Grapes
and Peaches" and "The Fisherman."
M. R. Franklin's work consisted of
roses, a study in roses of different
hues. Charles Dawson's studies from
the antique, book cover designs and a
class study were very classical.

Miss Elsie Powell presented class
studies in charcoal. P. C. Thomas had
as foreign scenes "Chinese Junk on
the Yangtze," "A Breeze in the
China Sea," "South Cape Light and
Isle of Formosa." In water colors by
the same artist were shown "The United
States Gunboat Wilmington in a
Typhoon, China Sea," "Japanese Junk
at Anchor, Inland Sea, Japan," and "A
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Probably no young minister in the
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that the church debt was way up in
the thousands.

Besides raising the money to pay off
the expenses incident to the running
of a large church, he has succeeded in
reducing the church indebtedness to
\$17,000 and will pay this year alone
\$2,500 on the principal and will keep
up the interest. The money to pay
the various demands of the congrega-
tion has been raised by a unique sys-
tem of rallies, the planning for which
was done by Dr. Hughes. In one—the
war of the roses—over \$3,500 was raised.
A successful rally netting \$1,200,
which was reported during the week
instead of on a Sunday, was announce-
ed the latter part of November.

During his ministry Dr. Hughes has
received many flattering offers from
congregations in other cities, and a
movement has already started among
influential members of his church look-
ing to his return for the eighth suc-
cessive year. During his pastorate
there has been active in various
civic movements and was one of the
leaders in the recent anti-disfranchise-
ment campaign.